

THE HONORABLE JAMAL N. WHITEHEAD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

PLAINTIFF PACITO; PLAINTIFF ESTHER;
PLAINTIFF JOSEPHINE; PLAINTIFF SARA;
PLAINTIFF ALYAS; PLAINTIFF MARCOS;
PLAINTIFF AHMED; PLAINTIFF RACHEL;
PLAINTIFF ALI; HIAS, INC.; CHURCH
WORLD SERVICE, INC.; and LUTHERAN
COMMUNITY SERVICES NORTHWEST,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official capacity as
President of the United States; MARCO RUBIO,
in his official capacity as Secretary of State;
KRISTI NOEM, in her official capacity as
Secretary of Homeland Security; ROBERT F.
KENNEDY, JR., in his official capacity as
Secretary of Health and Human Services,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:25-cv-255-JNW

**PLAINTIFFS' STATUS REPORT
REGARDING THE COURT'S
MARCH 24, 2025 PRELIMINARY
INJUNCTION**

Shortly after the Court issued its February 25, 2025 preliminary injunction enjoining Defendants from suspending the U.S. Refugee Admissions Program ("USRAP") and funding to resettlement partners, Defendants began terminating nearly all cooperative agreements with such partners for refugee processing abroad and reception and placement services in the United States. The Court granted Plaintiffs leave to amend, and Plaintiffs thereafter filed a supplemental pleading

1 and sought a preliminary injunction of the termination of the cooperative agreements. *See* Dkt.
2 Nos. 56–57. On March 24, 2025, the Court issued a second preliminary injunction ordering
3 Defendants to reinstate the cooperative agreements and enjoining them from enforcing or
4 implementing any portion of their termination of USRAP-related funding provided through the
5 cooperative agreements. *See* Dkt. No. 79 at 35–36. The Court also ordered the parties to submit a
6 joint status report on April 7, 2025. Counsel for Plaintiffs contacted Defendants’ counsel to
7 schedule a meet-and-confer to discuss the joint status report; despite initially agreeing, Defendants
8 canceled the meeting on the basis that it was no longer necessary following Plaintiffs’ filings and
9 the Court’s order scheduling an emergency hearing. Plaintiffs apologize to the Court for their
10 delayed filing and offer this update as to the status of Defendants’ compliance with the March 24,
11 2025 preliminary injunction.

12 On April 3, 2025, Plaintiffs advised the Court that Plaintiffs Church World Service, Inc.
13 (“CWS”) and HIAS, Inc. (“HIAS”) had received notices that their USRAP-related cooperative
14 agreements would be reinstated upon their consent, but would again be suspended immediately
15 following reinstatement. *See* Dkt. No. 87. CWS and HIAS have since provided that consent and,
16 on April 4 and April 7 respectively, they received notice from the State Department that it had
17 indeed suspended their USRAP-related cooperative agreements once again.

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